

# PUMPING PLANT MAY COLLAPSE IN BALTIMORE

New Mayor Tries to Save Fine Mount Royal Structure.

BALTIMORE, June 8.—The handsome white marble Mt. Royal pumping station of the Baltimore city water department is said by Water Engineer Quick and Building Inspector Preston to be sinking and in danger of collapsing.

Heroic remedies were urged today by Mayor Mahon to save the building, and he was backed up in his position by City Solicitor Bruce and City Engineer Fendall, two more members of the board of estimates, which will have to find the \$25,000 or \$30,000 needed. It is estimated to make the building safe.

Over 150,000 of the \$30,000 people of Baltimore are largely dependent upon the pumping station for water. Defective foundations are responsible for the conditions.

# KRUPP CONCERN SUES CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER

The Fried Krupp Aktiengesellschaft has instituted proceedings in equity in the District Supreme Court against William Crozier, U. S. Army.

It is stated in the petition that letters patent were granted to Otto Lauer June 16, 1902, by the United States, he being the first inventor of improvements on recoil brakes for guns, and that the patents were finally granted March 17, 1906, under seal of the Patent Office.

It is further alleged that the United States Government is using an infringement upon the patent, and that William Crozier, as Chief Ordnance Officer, is promulgating their use throughout the army. An injunction is asked and an accounting from the United States.

# Open Air Sacred Concert Today.

The Naval Gun Factory Band will give a sacred concert today, and every Sunday during the entire summer, at Randle Highlands, from 3 until 6 p. m. Take Capital Traction cars on Pennsylvania avenue going east, marked "F and G," and get transfer to Randle Highlands. Only a few minutes' ride east of the Capitol. A magnificent view can be had of the entire city and surrounding country from Randle Highlands.

Cut Flowers and Altar Decorations for June Brides. Shaffer, 14th & L.

# Twins, But Were Born In Different Years



ANNA AND EMMA RANKIN, Of Twinning City, D. C., Who Are Twin Sisters. One of Them Arrived in This World in 1905, and the Other in 1906.

THESE two little lassies of Twinning City, D. C., have a distinction that comes to few little tots in this world, though it may cause heartburnings and confusion when the Misses Anna and Emma Rankin reach maturity.

"How old are you, Emma?" someone will ask.

"Well, I was born the year after Sister Annie; she was born in 1905, and I was born in 1906, you know."

"But I thought you were twins!"

And, as a matter of fact, so they are.

# PORTO RICO ANXIOUS ABOUT FRENCH TARIFF

In hope of impressing upon the President the necessity of this Government preventing France putting a prohibitive duty on Porto Rican coffee, Resident Commissioner Tulio Larrinaga called at the White House yesterday. He told the President that the proposed duty of 35 cents a pound meant the ruin of the French trade, and emphasized the importance of this trade by saying that France is the best customer of Porto Rican coffee that the island has. More money, he said, is to be made by shipping to France and paying the present duty of 15 cents than to ship to New York, where no duty is paid.

# LITTLE MUSICIANS WILL ENTERTAIN

Three Hundred Youngsters Will Sing and Play Instruments.

The Washington public will have an opportunity of witnessing a unique children's entertainment, to be given at Continental Hall, Seventeenth and D streets, Thursday and Friday nights, by Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bingham, who have established the reputation, in Philadelphia and Baltimore, for giving remarkable children's affairs. One hundred of their pupils will play the violin, rendering selections from grand opera, interspersed with popular up-to-date marches and a medley of national melodies. The chorus work is of a most unusual character, every song being illustrated by the entire chorus of 200.

The historical drill, "The Rise and Progress of America," will be a feast of patriotism, introducing the Indian, Puritans, Continental soldiers, George Washington, sailors of 1812, Commodore Perry, Union and Confederate soldiers, General Grant and Lee in command, Admiral Dewey and the White Squadron, Colonel Roosevelt and his Rough Riders, General Greene, and the Daughters of the Revolution, all in appropriate costumes.

# GIRL FORFEITS BOND FOR PETIT LARCENY

By failing to put in an appearance in the Police Court yesterday morning to answer the charge of petit larceny which was preferred against her, Miss Ella Walsh, charged with having taken a hat which she was trying on in a local department store, forfeited her \$5 collateral.

# PRIZE WINNING CADETS GUESTS OF LIEUTENANT

Lieut. H. P. Michener last night entertained at his home in Somerset Heights the members of Company D of Technical High School, the winners of the annual High School Cadets' competitive drill. All the boys, fifty-six in number, were present in full uniform, and all proudly wore the coveted red ribbon significant of their victory.

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25, Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Every Saturday and Sunday. All trains both ways, both days, except Royal Limited. City offices, 1417 G st. and 619 Pennsylvania ave.

# Female Dick Turpin Knocks Out Old Man And Overruns Police

NEW YORK, June 8.—So helpless to prevent crime or catch criminals have Brooklyn's policemen become that a woman footpad had little difficulty in escaping from one of them after robbing George Doernberger, father-in-law of Deputy Chief John Byrnes, of the fire department. A patrolman let the highwayman get away over fence after fence, contenting himself with hawling to her to stop and firing his pistol in the air. His lumbering pursuit was laughed to scorn by the robber in petticoats, and when at last he got to Havemeyer street, into which she sprang from the last fence, there wasn't so much as a dropped hairpin to serve as a clue. It was suggested the fact that the highwayman had staggered Doernberger, who is seventy years old, with a smashing swing on the jaw possibly cooled the desire of the bluecoat to overtake her.

The woman is described by the septua-

# LEAPS FROM WINDOW AND FRACTURES LIMB

Thomas Day, colored, aged thirty-eight years, residing at 128 E street southwest, jumped out of the third story window at the Emergency Hospital yesterday morning and sustained a fracture of the left leg.

Day had been in the hospital for the past three weeks and was recovering from an attack of pneumonia. He was very weak yesterday morning and the nurse suggested that he take a drink of whiskey, bringing the dose to him.

"I'll not drink that stuff," he said. The nurse left the room for a moment to get a doctor and Day ran to one of the windows, attempting to jump from the fire escape. Changing his mind, he ran another window in the room and vaulted over the sill to the ground, three stories below. It is thought that he will recover.

# COLONEL CLOWRY DENIES RUMORS OF RESIGNATION

NEW YORK, June 8.—Owing to the circulation of reports that Col. R. C. Clowry, president and general manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, has resigned, or was about to resign, an authoritative statement was made today denying these reports.

Colonel Clowry has not resigned, nor has he considered the question of resigning.

\$78.00 to Los Angeles, Cal., and Other Pacific Coast points and return, via Baltimore & Ohio, June 8 to 12. Valid for return until August 3. For particulars consult agents, 1417 G st., 619 Pa. ave. and station, N. J. ave. and C.

# CARTER PRAISES JAMESTOWN FAIR

Motor Car President Back, Enthusiastic About Exposition.

President Albert Gary Carter, of the Carter Motor Car Corporation, of this city, has just returned from a brief visit to the Jamestown Exposition, where he completed arrangements for an extensive exhibit of the Carter two-engine cars and their various appliances.

In speaking of the general prospects of the exposition, Mr. Carter was very enthusiastic, being impressed with the substantial progress made there. His views are as follows:

"The accommodations for the visitors are excellent. The buildings containing the Government and State exhibits have been finished and are now filled with interesting exhibits. Other buildings, such as the Manufacturers' Building, Machinery Hall, Transportation and Marine Building, are all completed, and the exhibits in them are very nearly placed."

"The attendance, averaging over 10,000 a day, is steadily increasing."

Mr. Carter is of the opinion that the exposition has not been given the credit it should receive. He thinks that aside from the exposition proper there are a number of outside points of interest for the visitor, and that there is hardly a locality upon the Atlantic seaboard, in its broad stretch from the land of Evangeline to the magnolia groves of Florida, so productive of historic interest as the immediate environs of the tidewater of Virginia, especially the peninsula between the James and York rivers.

# ORDERS NEW TRIAL FOR NEUROLOGISTS

RICHMOND, Va., June 8.—The trial of Dr. Rudolph and Dr. Buchanan, neurologists, indicted for practicing medicine and surgery without having obtained a license from the State board of medical examiners, resulted in a hung jury today.

Judge Witt immediately discharged the jury, and ordered a new trial, which will be held at July term of the court. Many of the most prominent physicians in Richmond testified against the accused men, both of whom had entered a plea of denial.

"Milk" Bread for Home Tables. Wholesome and delicious. Delivered fresh and clean from oven to table. Holmes Bakery, 1st & E sts., Phones E. 1440 & 1441.

# Shirting percale, 10c goods 12 1/2c

These are the genuine English Suitings, 36 inches wide, and in the choicest patterns. These are the same goods the manufacturers of high-class shirts and novelty shirt waists use. They are very durable, absolutely fast in color, and hence, desirable for children's dresses.

# You cannot get along without these white Waists

WHITE MADRAS WAISTS of cross-barred pattern; pleated to bust; tucked back; stock and cuffs; long sleeves. —a waist that should sell for \$1.25—we offer Monday for.....

WHITE PERSIAN LAWN WAISTS, with all-over embroidered fronts; fasten back; three-quarter sleeves; also a style with embroidered panels on each side of embroidery front; long sleeves; fasten front. These waists are made of surplus materials—and instead of being sold at \$2.00 are offered tomorrow at.....

WHITE LINEN SHIRTS, with laundered collar and cuffs; yoke back; pocket at bust; thoroughly man-tailored, and a waist worth at least \$1.50. Our price.....

Second Floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

# White goods Underprice sale

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PIN DOT SWISSES. We sold this quality before at 12 1/2c yard. Regular price is 20c. The last time we sold more than 100 pieces in a single day. Tomorrow we're out 40 pieces. Come early. Sale price, yard.....

32-INCH SHEER INDIA Linon, regular 15c quality; only 50 pieces to sell; a yard, while it lasts.....

40-INCH fine quality Sheer India Linon in the usual 24c a yard quality. Sale price, yard.....

# Domestics down

WHITE CAMEO CLOTH, 24-in. wide, soft-finish, and a splendid fabric for making suits and children's dresses. Worth 15c a yd. for.....

BLACK BLEACHED CAMBRIC, 26-in. wide and worth 12 1/2c a yd. for.....

1st Floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

# Many 39c to 59c summer silks at 29c yard

## S. KANN, SONS & CO.

8th St. & PA. AVE.

"THE BUSY CORNER"

# June sale Undermuslins

Note the low prices quoted on undermuslins in our June sale. Yet prices of cotton stuffs are climbing higher each day. You'll not be able to buy so good undermuslins, in so many pretty styles, at such low prices again this season—SO BUY A SUMMER'S SUPPLY during the sale.

### Black corset covers

BLACK MUSLIN CORSET COVERS, finished with hemstitched ruffle around neck and sleeves; drawstring at waist. SALE PRICE.....

BLACK MUSLIN CORSET COVERS, with lace edge at neck and around sleeves, finished with heading and ribbon. SALE PRICE.....

BLACK MUSLIN CORSET COVERS, with deep yokes of black lace and finished with heading and ribbon. SALE PRICE.....

### Corset covers

CHOICE of 2 styles Muslin Corset Covers, trimmed in cotton torchon lace; some with embroidery. A few have ribbon drawn through; all with draw string at waist. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 4 styles Nainsook Corset Covers trimmed in lace or embroidery and with heading and ribbon run through. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 6 styles Nainsook Corset Covers, with deep yokes of embroidery, inserting, or lace; a pretty effect is formed of medallions of embroidery on each side; all finished with ribbon and heading. SALE PRICE.....

### Short skirts

CHOICE of 2 styles Muslin Petticoats with cambric ruffles, some with lace edge. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 4 styles Short Petticoats of muslin with deep ruffle, trimmed in pin tucking and edge of lace or with hemstitched tucks. SALE PRICE.....

### Gowns

CHOICE of 2 styles of gowns, made of muslin, with round necks and yokes of tucks; some trimmed with hemstitched lawn ruffles. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 4 styles Muslin and Nainsook Gowns, "V" or round neck, with yokes of Val. lace and hemstitching; hemstitched tucks and embroidery; long or short sleeves. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 12 styles Gowns of Nainsook, with round neck, "V" neck and yokes of embroidery and tucks; lace and blind embroidery, or Val. lace combined with operwork embroidery; Shoo Laces all sizes. SALE PRICE.....

### Drawers

CHOICE of 5 styles Muslin Drawers, with tucks; plain or with umbrella ruffles; all have yoke bands and tapes. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 5 styles of Muslin Drawers, plain or with umbrella ruffles; trimmed in embroidery and tucks. Val. lace and tucks, or cotton torchon lace and tucks; yoke bands and tapes. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 5 styles of Muslin Drawers, with lawn ruffles; trimmed in tucks and cotton torchon lace or Val. lace edge; some finished with ribbon heading; yoke bands. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 5 styles Nainsook Drawers, with deep lawn ruffles, trimmed in pin tucking and Val. lace, or flounces of embroidery and heading. SALE PRICE.....

### Long skirts

CHOICE of 2 styles Muslin Petticoats, one style with cambric ruffle, finished with fine tucks; the other with deep lawn ruffle and hem. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 3 styles Muslin Petticoats, with deep lawn ruffles finished with tucks and lace edge, French hands and dust ruffles. SALE PRICE.....

CHOICE of 5 styles Muslin Petticoats, with deep ruffles, formed of 4 rows of lace inserting and edge; or deep lawn ruffle, with trimming of embroidery. SALE PRICE.....

# Notions—no lower prices anywhere!

Greylock Basting Cotton, 60-yl. spoils. Big bar..... 5c  
gait, at a spoon..... 5c  
Black Machine Silk, 100 yds. on spool; letter "A" only. Sale price..... 5c  
Lightweight Dress Shields double covered, sizes 2, 3, and 4. Regularly 10c to 15c. Choice..... 6c  
Hattie's Favorite Shirt-waist Shields, all sizes. Sale price..... 25c  
3 pairs for..... 25c  
Mercedized Crochet Cotton, all colors; regularly 5c a spool. Sale price 5c  
2 spools for..... 5c  
Hair Light Pompadour Combs—takes the place of the hot hair rat. Sale price..... 50c  
Hair Rats, all sizes, 10 to 14 inches; all colors. Worth 15c for..... 10c  
Best Brass Needle-point Pins, regularly 3c paper. Sale price, 3 papers 10c for..... 10c  
400 Count Washington Pins, regularly 3c paper; sale price, 2 papers 5c for..... 5c  
2c Columbia Hooks and Eyes, black or white; all sizes at..... 3c  
Cotton Tape, 24 yard pieces, white or black, for..... 7c  
10c Black Tubular Shoe Laces, 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 sizes. Sale price, 3c dozen..... 3c  
20c Heavy Black Tubular Shoe Laces, all sizes. Sale price, dozen..... 10c  
10c Silk Tie Laces, 5c black only, a pair..... 5c  
5c Sanitary Wash Cloths, sale price, three 10c for..... 10c  
Sanitary Belts, all sizes, for..... 10c  
Skirt Gauges—anyone can use them; save time and trouble. A set costs 25c but..... 25c  
Duplex Safety Pins, small sizes; black only; worth 5c dozen; sale price, 3c dozen for..... 3c  
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes, three dozen 10c for..... 10c  
Shirt Waist Belts—will not slip, and they hold the shirt waist down. Regularly 10c for..... 5c  
1st floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

# \$1.00 Corsets, 69c

Corsets at big savings, too, in the June Undermuslin Sale. You can have choice of three very popular makes—"W. B.," "J. B.," and "H. & H."—all made of light-weight batiste, straight fronts; some with garters attached to front; others with just the tab extension; all lace and ribbon trimmed. All sizes—and all perfect in every detail.

# Cannon cloth sold so fast that we've given it space to itself

Last week we realized that the space allotted to Cannon Cloth along with other cotton fabrics, was inadequate to meet the demands for it—so gave it a department of its own. You'll now find Cannon Cloth stationed in the Wool Dress Goods Section, where it is easy of access.

These low prices to impress upon everybody its new location:

18c Linen-finish Cannon Cloth, yd..... 14c  
20c Soft-finish Cannon Cloth, yd..... 15c  
15c Soft-finish Cannon Cloth, yd..... 10 1/2c  
18c Percale-finish Cannon Cloth, yd..... 12 1/2c

This fabric is 36 inches wide and steam shrunk—no matter what price you pay.

# Laces and embroideries Extraordinary opportunities

TORCHONS—Laces and insertions; special lot extra fine machine made laces, in a large variety of patterns and in qualities worth up to 12 1/2c a yard. 42c Sale price, yard.....

ALL-OVER LACES—18 ins. wide Oriental-over lace in white and butter color. Choice of 15 different patterns; actual 39c value. A yard, sale price..... 39c

VAL. LACES—Lot consisting of twenty-five (25) different patterns; all choice designs, and in qualities that are actual 25c and 30c values. A dozen yards..... 15c

CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES—Value 40c yard. Sale price almost-half. Choice of 5 different patterns, and every one a beauty. Both Cambric and Swiss in this lot. The sale price is, a yard..... 25c

EDGING AND INSERTIONS—A special lot in finer grades, both Swiss and nainsook. Both the small neat patterns and the larger shirring sort; 25c to 50c value; a yard, only..... 25c

EMBROIDERY MEDALLIONS—250 dozen in styles and qualities that sell at 12c to 25c each. Extraordinary collection of designs, and all on Swiss ground. 5c CHOICE, EACH.....

# Wash golf suiting 15c yard

This is the most effective washable material you can get for summer skirts, or jumper suits. Six feet away it is impossible to tell this material from the best light-weight all-wool suitings. In fact, it deceives many until they feel the goods. We've a splendid display in the D street windows. 15c is considerably under its worth. Can't be had elsewhere for so little.